

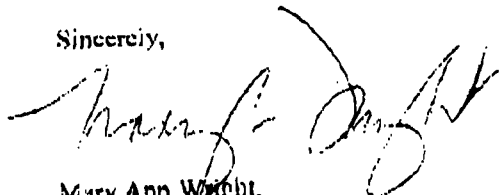
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Ernie Hale
M/003/049
August 21, 2002

Given these commitments as agreed to by signature, the following is authorized: the Division will allow reclamation activities to begin immediately. Quarrying activities may resume once the reclamation work outlined in mitigation items 2, 3, 4 and 5 are completed, and the operator has notified the Division that this work is completed. Also, evidence that the reclamation surety acquisition is progressing must be provided.

Please acknowledge your acceptance of the mitigation by signing below and returning a signed copy to the Division.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, or wish to discuss this matter further, please don't hesitate to contact me at (801) 538-5306, Wayne Hedberg at (801) 538-5286, or Lynn Kunzler at (801) 538-5310.

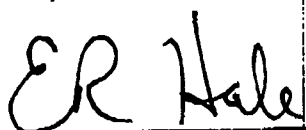
Sincerely,



Mary Ann Wright,
Associate Director, Mining

In
cc: Wayne Hedberg, DOGMA
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I agree to perform the mitigation as outlined.



Ernie Ray Hale, President
Sierra Stone, Inc

OCT 3, 2002
Date